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TO: ~~Mr. Proctor~~

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SUBJECT Item # 3 On Projects List

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REMARKS:

 in OSR mentioned the item to Bruce, who gave him a "Sphinx-like stare" which Ray interprets as hoping the whole thing will go away.

Attached are the appropriate documents.

*DDI says
Kill it!*

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OFFICE OF THE DD/1

DATE: 20 May 69

TO: Messrs. Smith, ~~Proctor~~

FROM: ← return

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SUBJECT: Tom Hughes Takes Exception to
OSR Memo

REMARKS:

Tom Hughes of INR, in a personal memo to you, has expressed serious disagreement with a recent OSR memo, "Soviet Military Resistance to Strategic Arms Talks Increases." Mr. Hughes notes that "you are probably aware of these differences since they are not entirely new."

INR feels that there is no persuasive evidence to support CIA's hypothesis that an anti-SALT campaign by the Soviet military leadership has reached a new peak of intensity. INR also thinks that the military is following the same general line as their civilian chiefs.

I have attached a copy of the OSR memo and Bruce Clarke's covering memo to you that accompanied it.

I have sent a copy of INR's memo to Mr. Clarke.

Prepare a reply to Hughes concerning a joint OSR - OCP ONE rebuttal. I have given Bruce 20 May 69 instructions on this.

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